

GENERAL ORDERS, }

No. 7.

WAR DEPARTMENT,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Washington, March 20, 1861.

I...The following promotions and appointments in the Adjutant General's Department, have been made by the PRESIDENT, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate :

PROMOTIONS.

✓ Lieutenant Colonel Lorenzo Thomas, Assistant Adjutant General, to be Adjutant General with the rank of Colonel, March 7, 1861, *vice* Cooper, resigned.

✓ Brevet Major Edward D. Townsend, Assistant Adjutant General, to be Assistant Adjutant General with the rank of Lieutenant Colonel, March 7, 1861, *vice* Thomas, promoted.

✓ Brevet Captain Don Carlos Buell, Assistant Adjutant General, to be Assistant Adjutant General with the Brevet rank of Major, February 25, 1861, *vice* Deas, resigned.

✓ Brevet Captain William A. Nichols, Assistant Adjutant General, to be Assistant Adjutant General with the Brevet rank of Major, March 7, 1861, *vice* Townsend, promoted.

APPOINTMENTS.

First Lieutenant Theodore Talbot, of the First Regiment of Artillery, to be Assistant Adjutant General with the Brevet rank of Captain, *vice* Jones, resigned, to date from March 16, 1861.

✓ First Lieutenant Richard C. Drum, of the Fourth Regiment of Artillery, to be Assistant Adjutant General with the Brevet rank of Captain, *vice* Buell, promoted, to date from March 16, 1861.

✓ First Lieutenant James B. Fry, of the First Regiment of Artillery, to be Assistant Adjutant General with the Brevet rank of Captain, *vice* Withers, resigned, to date from March 16, 1861.

✓ First Lieutenant George L. Hartsuff, of the Second Regiment of Artillery, to be Assistant Adjutant General with the Brevet rank of Captain, *vice* Nichols, promoted, to date from March 22, 1861.

II..The officers of the Adjutant General's Department are assigned to duty as follows :

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE.

- ✓ Colonel Lorenzo Thomas, Adjutant General.
- ✓ Brevet Major Irvin McDowell, Assistant Adjutant General.
- ✓ Brevet Captain Julius P. Garesché, Assistant Adjutant General.
- ✓ Brevet Captain James B. Fry, Assistant Adjutant General.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY.

- ✓ Lieutenant Colonel Edward D. Townsend, Assistant Adjutant General.

DEPARTMENT OF THE EAST.

- ✓ Brevet Major William A. Nichols, Assistant Adjutant General.

DEPARTMENT OF THE WEST.

- ✓ Brevet Captain S. Williams, Assistant Adjutant General.

DEPARTMENT OF NEW MEXICO.

- ✓ Brevet Captain Dabney H. Maury, Assistant Adjutant General.
- ✓ Brevet Captain George L. Hartsuff, Assistant Adjutant General.

DEPARTMENT OF THE PACIFIC.

- ✓ Brevet Major Don Carlos Buell, Assistant Adjutant General.
- ✓ Brevet Captain Richard C. Drum, Assistant Adjutant General.

DISTRICT OF OREGON.

- ✓ Brevet Captain Theodore Talbot, Assistant Adjutant General.

ON INSPECTION DUTY.

- ✓ Brevet Major William W. Mackall, Assistant Adjutant General.
- ✓ Brevet Major Fitz-John Porter, Assistant Adjutant General.

III..Brevet Captains Talbot, Drum, and Hartsuff will proceed to join their respective stations.

As soon as relieved by Brevet Major Buell, Brevet Major Mackall will repair to the Headquarters of the Army, and report in person to the Commanding General.

Brevet Major Nichols will continue on duty with the troops in Texas until after they shall have left that Department, when, as soon as his services can be dispensed with by the Colonel commanding, he will proceed to join his proper station.

BY ORDER :

LORENZO THOMAS,
Adjutant General.

OFFICIAL :

Assistant Adjutant General.

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